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## CONVENTION OFFICERS

Elder J. D. Henry . . . . .	Supervisor
Mrs. Daisy S. Parks . . . . .	President
Mrs. Laura Wingate . . . . .	Vice President
Mrs. Laura Lovick . . . . .	Recording Secretary
Mrs. Estella Fryar . . . . .	Assistant Secretary
Mrs. Jane Sutton . . . . .	Treasurer
Mrs. Lucy Garner, Mrs. Florence Bradley . . . . .	Finance Committee
Mr. J. C. Davis, Mr. J. D. Gooding, Mr. W. M. McLaurin.	Banking Committee

## DISTRICTS AND THEIR MISSIONARIES

### NO. 1—NEW BERN DISTRICT.

Alum Spring, Dover, N. C. Piney Grove, Araphoe, N. C. Quaker House, Trenton, N. C. St. John, Dover, N. C. St. Paul, New Bern, N. C. St. James, Vanceboro, N. C. Missionaries: Elder W. M. King, Elder J. D. Henry, Sister Bertha Moye, Missionaries.

### NO. 2—GREENVILLE DISTRICT.

Mills Chapel, Philipi, Greenville, N. C. Little Creek, St. Paul, Ayden, N. C. Antioch, Snow Hill, N. C. Grifton Chapel, Grifton, N. C. Quaker House, Richland, N. C. Sister Laura Wingate, Sister Georgia Rouse, Missionaries.

### NO. 3—KINSTON DISTRICT.

Hickory Grove, Vine Swamp, St. Peter, Kinston, N. C., Grainger Chapel, Grainger, N. C. St. Mark, Institute, N. C. St. James, LaGrange, N. C., Taylor Chapel, Best Chapel, Snow Hill, N. C. Sister Rebecca Cox, Sister Hester Baker, Missionaries.

### NO. 4—GOLDSBORO DISTRICT.

St. Mark, Mount Sinai, Greenleaf, St. Luke, Greenleaf, Goldsboro, N. C. St. Stevens, Princeton, N. C. Warren Chapel, Elm Grove, Pikeville, N. C. Holly Hill, Best, N. C. St. Mark, Stantonburg, N. C., Sister Lula Swinson, Sister Margaret Bradshaw, Sister Ada Knight, Sister Lucy Garner, Sister Maggie Sherard, Missionaries.

### NO. 5—WILSON DISTRICT.

St. Mary, Bailey, N. C. St. Mathews, Wakefield, N. C. Clifton Chapel, St. Rose, Wilson N. C. Morning Star, Rocky Mount, N. C. Zion Spring, Bunn, N. C. St. James, Fountain, N. C. St. Paul, Black Creek, Walstonburg, N. C. Sister Queenie Hart, Sister Queenie Crudup, Sister Florence Bradley, Missionaries.

### NO. 6—CLINTON DISTRICT.

St. Luke, Mt. Olive, N. C. Mt. Zion, Calypso, N. C. Pleasant Union, Mt. Olive, N. C. Running Branch, Union Grove, St. Paul, Holly Grove, Clinton, N. C. Moses Chapel, Faison, N. C. Elder F. D. Ashford, Sister Tillie Moore, Missionaries.

### NO. 7—SMITHFIELD DISTRICT

Antioch, Clayton, N. C. Oak Grove, Selma, N. C. St. Peter, Smithfield, N. C. Wade, N. C. Pleasant Grove, Fayetteville, N. C. Selma, Selma, N. C. Elder E. J. Jackson, Elder F. D. McNeil, Elder M. L. Aycock, Missionaries.

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## PROCEEDINGS OF THE 25TH ANNUAL SESSION

October 1-2-3, 1943, Faison, N. C.

According to the 24th Annual Session of the Woman's Home Mission Convention of the Disciples of Christ of the Goldsboro and Raleigh District. The 25th session will convene on the above date with the Moses Chapel Church of Christ, Faison, N. C. Elder M. L. Loftin, pastor.

The session was opened by the local president's. Scripture Lesson was lead by Sister Tillie Moore, 1st chapter of St. John. Then song was led by the president, "Yield Not To Temptation." Prayer was led by the different Brothers and Sisters for those that were on their way coming. The President then arose and gave some interesting remarks and called for all the Elders that were present to give greetings and the greetings was enjoyed by all. The President had the convention to rise in honor of the greetings

from the Elders. Then sermonettes by the missionary Sisters of the convention. They came forward singing and Sister Lula Swinson introduced the speaker Sister Price. She arose and choose for her text 8th chapter of Luke 46 verse. Subject: "And Jesus Said Somebody Hath Touched Me." She preached a soul-stirring sermon. The fire did burn in our very soul. Then Sister Tillie Moore arose singing "If It Were Not For The Lord What Would I Do." She chose for her text the 9th chapter of Acts and the 4th verse, "Saul, Saul why persecute thou me." She also preached a soul stirring sermon. Sister N. A. Bradshaw came forward singing inside the beautiful gate, choose for her text the 21st chapter of St. John, 4th verse. "But when the morning was now come Jesus stood on the shore." She preached a wonderful sermon. Then Sister Lula Swinson came forward singing -- "Courage My Soul." And all enjoyed the singing. Then the president arose and responded after the Sisters and called for the Finance Solicitors as they came forward and raised the amount of \$13.60. Then we had some encouraging remarks from our vice president, Sister Laura Wingate, which was enjoyed by all. We also had some very interesting remarks from our Supervisor Elder J. D. Henry, which was very much enjoyed. Doxology and Benediction by Elder J. D. Henry.

#### **FRIDAY AFTERNOON SESSION**

The meeting was conducted by the local presidents, opened by singing "Farther Along," prayer led by Sister N. A. Bradshaw. Second selection "Down At The Cross." The meeting was enjoyed by all. Then the President arose and announced the house in order for transaction of business. It was proposed and agreed that the committee on business organization be appointed.

Sister J. D. Henry, Sister M. B. Jones, Sister Eva McKinley, Sister Addie Mathews, Sister Eliza Young, Committee.

#### **COMMITTEE ON ARRANGEMENT**

Sister Mattie Faison, Sister Mary Faison, Sisetr Icney Craddock, Brother Howard Best, Bro. Sam Faison, Committee.

#### **COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

Sister Carrie Knobles, Sister Maggie Sherard, Sister Bertha Moye, Committee.

Then the committee on business organization made their report.

Sister President, we your Committee on Business Organization, beg leave to make our report. We recommend the same rules as heretofore.

1. Enrollment of delegates and members.
2. Appointment of various committees.
3. Calling the roll of members.
4. Caliling the roll of missions.
5. That fifteen (15) shall constitute a quorum.
6. That we shall meet at 9:30 and adjourn at 12:30 p. m. resassemble at 2:30 p. m. and adjourn at 5:30 p. m.
7. That if any member be thirty (30) minutes late without a lawful excuse shall pay 25 cents.
8. That no member shall speak more than twice on the same subject nor longer than five (5) minutes at each time.
9. That no member shall interrupt another while speaking.
10. That no member shall sit further than the third (3) window and if any member fail to hear the president, he or she, shall have no further voice until they repent.

It was proposed and agreed that the report be received and committee discharged.

Sister J. D. Henry, Sister M. B. Jones, Sister Eva McKinley, Sister Eliza Young, Committee.

#### **COMMITTEE ON EULOGY**

Sister Mammie McLaurin, Sister Luella Herring, Sister Rebecca Cox, Sister Lula Lane, Sister Sarah Wayne.

### **ENROLLMENT OF DELEGATE .**

Sister N. A. Brewington, Union Grove, Clinton, N. C., 308 Sampson St.,  
Sister Martha McDonald, Pleasant Union, Fayetteville, N. C. 593 Steven-  
son Street.

Sister Mary Smith, Holly Grove, RFD 5, Box 207, Clinton, N. C.

Sister Eva McKinley, Pleasant Union, RFD 1, Box 161, Four Oaks,  
N. C.

Sister Carrie Dickens, Zion Spring, Bunn, N. C.

Sister Mabel White, Vine Swamp, RFD 5, Box 226, Kinston, N. C.

Sister Annie Ford, Elm Grove, Pikeville, N. C.

Sister N. A. Bradshaw, Selma, N. C. 629, Washington St., Goldsboro, N. C.

Sister Luella Herring, St. Mark, 708 W. School St., Goldsboro, N. C.

Sister Sarah Wayne, Hickory Grove, RFD Box 73, Kinston, N. C.

Sister Rebecca Cox, King Chapel, RFD 5, Box 238, Kinston, N. C.

Sister Zelpha Bell Sutton, St. Paul, Black Creek, N. C.

Sister Addie Mathew, St. Paul, Clinton, N. C.

Sister Bessie Farmer, St. Rose, Wilson, N. C.

Sister Mary Dixon, St. James, Fountain, N. C.

It was proposed and agreed that the members roll be called and dues  
paid members, dues collected \$66.80.

Benediction by Elder F. D. Ashford.

### **ROLL OF OFFICERS**

Elder J. D. Henry 65; Sister Daisy S. Parks 65: Sister Laura Wingate  
65: Sister Laura Lovick 65; Sister Estella Fryar 65: Sister Lucy Garner  
65: Sister Florence Bradley 65; Sister Jane Sutton, Bro. J. C. Davis 65;  
Bro. J. D. Gooding 65; Bro. W. M. McLaurin 65.

### **ROLL OF MEMBERS**

Sister Lula Swinson 65; Sister Martha Ellis \$1.30; Sister Eliza Odom  
65: Sister Rebecca Cox 65; Sister Annie Parks, Sister Pasty King 65: Sister  
Vina Perry 65; Sister Lucy Lovick 65; Sister Climmie McCoy 65: Sister  
Mary ones 65; Sister Annie Morgan 65: Sister Mary Dixon: Sister Lucy  
Blackman 65; Sister Florence McDaniel 65; Sister Dollie A. Pitt 65: Sister  
Queenie Hart 65; Sister Sarah Wayne 65: Sister Queenie Coward, Sister  
Caroline Poke 65: Sister Hester Baker 65: Sister Sudie M. Daughety  
65: Sister Laura Johnson 65: Sister Retha Wooten, Sister Sallie Harper.  
Sister Eliza Young \$1.30; Sister Addie Mathew 65: Sister Cora Hobbs, Sister  
Martha Whitley. Sister Sarah Beaman 65: Sister Ella Odoms 65: Sister  
Georgia Rouse 65: Sister Nettie Stevens. Sister Mattie Exum, Sister Bertha  
Moye 65: Sister Caldonia Smith 65: Sister Ada Knight 65: Sister Mary  
Jackson 65: Vertie Martin 65: Sister Hattie Worley, Sister Valeria Powell  
65: Sister Nancy Taylor Sister Mary Dunk 65: Sister Fannie Jones 65.  
Sister Arthenid Swain, Sister Lu'a Lane 65; Sister Harriet Watson, Sister  
Victoria Parker 65: Sister Lula Fain Sister Lu'a McLaurin 65: Sister  
France Ward, Sister Lila King 65: Sister Mattie Faison 65: Sister Nancy  
Jones \$1.30: Sister Susan Mathew 65: Sister Eliza Cobb 65: Sister Ella  
Howard. Sister Rena Ham 65: Sister Vinella Lewis 65: Sister Jerusha Rich  
\$1:30: Sister Mamie McLaurin 65: Sister Queenie Crudup 65: Sister  
Mary E. Roberson \$1.30: Sister Charlotte Barnes 65: Sister Sadie Baker  
65: Sister Nina Ham Sister Viola Exum, Sister Lizzie Anderson 65: Sister  
Annie Grantham 65: Sister Annie Hillerd 65: Sister Victoria Johnson:  
Sister Annie Tilghman 65: Sister Flora Parker Sister Della Edwards. Sister  
Jannie Jackson 65: Sister Flora Mae Stevenson 65: Sister Lucinda  
Hart: Sister Nancy Harris. Sister Sallie Williams, Sister Eva McKinley 65.  
Sister Susan Mae Daughety 65: Sister Lo'a Melvin. Sister Mary Jackson  
65 Sister Zephoria Williams 65: Sister J. D. Henry 65: Sister Aretha  
Wooten 65: Sister Katie Faison. Sister Alberta Batt'e 65: Sister Argustus  
Hugh, Sister Cora Waters, Sister Cora Brewington 65: Sister Maggie She-  
rard 65: Sister Mary Faison 1.30: Sister Carrie Knobles 65: Sister Nannie  
Coleman 65; Sister Willie M. Daniel 65; Sister Lillie Cooper 65: Sister

Alice Williams 65; Sister Pennie Eason, Sister Ada Harris, Sister Mary Bynum, Sister Rose L. Sampson, Sister Icey Herring 65; Sister Lula Wise 65; Sister Ida Harris 65; Sister Henrietta Ruffin 65; Sister Mamie Lewis 65; Sister Sarah Williams 65; Sister Adlise Jones 65; Sister Easter Best 65; Sister Lucy Sills 65; Sister Annie B. Battle 65; Sister Henrietta Boney 65; Sister France McCray, Sister Estella Hargrove 65; Sister Lillie Walls 65; Sister M. B. Jones 65; Sister Hattie Frazier 65; Sister Arletha Dobbs 65; Sister Virginia Moore 65; Sister Hattie Perry 65; Sister Smithy A. Kirkman, Sister Hollie A. Davis 65; Sister Annie Artis, Sister Annie Taylor 65; Sister Omie Williams 65; Sister Maggie Bell 65; Sister Jannie Lovick 65; Sister Essie Tucker 65; Sister N. A. Bradshaw 65; Sister Vernon Booth 65; Sister Lena Perry 65; Sister Vicie Nickerson 65; Sister Lizzie Moore 65; Sister Carrie Dickens 65; Sister Sarah Barnes, Sister Jona Deck 65; Sister Sussie Exum 65; Sister Til'ie Moore 65; Sister Annie B. Stevens 65.

#### ROLL OF NEW MEMBERS

Sister Rena Grantham 65; Sister Mary Smith 65; Bro. Emmitt Jordan 65; Bro. Chester Walls 65; Sister Zelpha B. Sutton 65; Sister Rachel Cox 65; Sister Mabel White 65; Sister Nettie Price 65; Sister Ammie Ford 65; Sister Martha McDonald 65; Sister N. A. Brewington 65 Elder Jasper Best 65; Elder W. C. Simmons 65; Sister Bessie Farmer 65; Sister Maggie Williams 65; Sister Sarah Stephens 65; Elder A. M. Cogdell 65; Elder W. L. Aycock, Sister Lucy Kilpatrick 65; Sister Lucidina Artis 65; Sister Lizzie Blackman 65; Sister Ethel Peterson 65; Sister Sarah Taylor 65; Sister Annie B. Stephen 65; Sister Ater J. Taylor 65.

#### ROLL OF ELDERS

Elder J. H. Harper 65; Elder H. D. Davis 65; Elder E. F. Johnson 65; Elder G. W. Best; Elder A. B. Aycock 65; Elder C. R. D. Whitfield, Elder W. M. King 65; Elder J. F. McLaurin 65; Elder J. D. Jackson 65; Elder A. L. Hart 65; Elder F. D. Ashford 65; Elder P. R. Mewborn, Elder A. Parker, Elder Henry Beamon 65; M. L. Lofton 65; Elder D. P. Holloway, Elder J. W. Pitt 65; Elder E. Z. Coley \$1.30; Elder J. S. Cannon, Elder G. B. Borden 65; Elder C. E. Williams 65; Elder J. H. Frabier 65; Elder G. T. Taylor, Elder Z. B. Quinly, Elder J. E. Exum, Elder J. F. Whitfield, Elder H. A. Artis \$130; Elder F. D. McNeal 65; Elder N. C. Baker 65; Elder C. W. McLaurin 65.

#### ROLL OF BROTHERS

Bro. R. H. Battle 65; Bro. Alonzo Lovick 65; Bro. E. L. Battle, Bro. Jodie Ham 65; Bro. Claude Wayne, 65; Bro. J. R. Artis, Bro. Robert Brown, Bro. Alonzo McCoy 65; Bro. Emmett Garner 65; Bro. Mack Miller, Bro. J. D. Lovick 65; Bro. Sam Jones 65; Bro. Augusta House, Bro. M. B. Jones 65; Bro. David Kirtman.

#### FRIDAY NIGHT SESSION

Praise Service was conducted by the local presidents, Sister Queenie Hart, Sister Lucy Blackman, Sister Rachel Cox. Sister Vertie Martin open by singing "Precious Lord Take My Hand." Prayer offered by Sister Vertie Martin, Scripture lesson read by Sister Rachel Cox 14th chapter of St. John. We had a glorious time. The fire did burn in our soul.

The president arose singing one of her favorite songs "It Is Well With My Soul." Then she called Bro. Marion Aycock, who came forward and gave the Welcome Address. Then the president arose and introduced Elder J. D. Henry to respond to the address as he came forward and responded so nicely. Then the president arose and turned the service in the hands of the Elders. Elder J. D. Henry arose singing "Blest Be The Tie That Binds." Then Elder A. B. Aycock came forward and presented the speaker Elder H. D. Davis and he came forward and chose for his text the 14th chapter of St. John and the 23rd verse. Subject, "If any man love me he will keep my words." Elder Davis did preach a soul stirring sermon. Our hearts were made to burn. Elder J. D. Henry came forward, extended an invitation to those out of Christ singing Hymn 178. Come ye that love the Lord. Then

the meeting was turned back into the hands of the president as she arose and gave some wonderful remarks which we all enjoyed. Then called the Finance Solicitors who came forward and raised the sum of \$21.05. The president then turned the meeting into the hands of the pastor, Elder M. L. Loftin and the Committee on Arrangemens as they came forward and assigned homes for the delegation. Doxology and Benediction by Elder H. D. Davis.

#### SATURDAY MORNING SESSION

The meeting was open by the local Presidents singing "I Claim Jesus the first of all." Led by Sister Carrie Dickens. Prayer led by Sister Lucy Blackman. Scripture lesson read by Sister Queenie Hart, the 5th chapter of St. Matthew, second selection, "I'll run all the way," led by Sister N. A. Bradshaw. We had a wonderful prayer meeting. The meeting was turned into the hand of the president. She arose and made a few brief remarks and announced the house in order for business. It was proposed and agreed that the minutes of the previous day be read. It was read. It was proposed and agreed that the minutes be received and adopted with necessary correction. Then the Committee on Education was appointed.

#### COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Sister Lula McLaurin, Sister Zephoro Williams, Sister Alice P. Faison, Sister Carrie Dickens, Sister Mary Smith, Elder A. B. Aycock.

#### COMMITTEE ON INVESTIGATION

Sister Easter Best, Sister Veinella Lewis, Sister Estella Hargrove. Sister Mary Roberson, Sister Vertie Martin, Sister Lula Tate, Sister Sudie Mae Daughety, Sister Adlise Jones, Elder M. L. Loftin.

#### COMMITTEE ON NEW MISSION

Sister Ammie Ford, Sister Lizzie Aderson, Sister Mary A. Dixon. Sister Arletha Dobbs, Sister Lillie Moore, Sister N. A. Brewington, Sister Martha McDonnell, Sister Ella Howard, Sister Annie Taylor.

#### COMMITTEE ON TIME AND PLACE

Sister Hattie Frazier, Sister Annie Graham, Sister Nannie Jones, Sister Zeffie Sutton, Sister Henretta Ruffin. Sister Annie B. Battle. Sister Lucy Lovick, Sister Hettie Autman, Sister Mamie J. Jackson, Sister Cora Brewington, Sister Rebecca Cox.

#### COMMITTEE ON RESOLUTION

Sister Mabel White, Sister N. A. Bradshaw, Sister Lucy Blackman, Sister Pa'sy King, Sister Martha Ellis, Sister Ida Harris, Sister Lula Swinson, Bro. Howard Best, Elder F. D. Ashford.

Then the Committee on Eulogy were called to make their report. We find death has called from our midst, two of our State members, Sister Lena Ho'loway, La Grange, N. C. and Elder I. W. Faison, N. C. We loved them but Jesus loved them best. They sang "Father Along," led by Sister Sarah Wayne. Your humbly committee, Sister Mamie McLaurin. Sister Luella Herring, Sister Sarah Wayne, Sister Rebecca Cox, Sister Lu'a Lane.

Then we had some encouraging remarks from our chief which we all enjoyed. Then the president arose and cal'd Elder E. F. Johnson, our assistant chief and he arose and made some splendid remarks which was enjoyed much. The president arose and responded after the remarks of the Elders and it was enjoyed by all. Then she called the Finance Solicitor. They came forward and raised the amount of \$17.00. Eulogistic service.

Elder A. B. Aycock came forward and read for his scripture lesson 90 Psalm led hymn 145. "God Moves in a Mysterious Way. His Wonders To Perform." Prayer offered by Elder N. C. Baker. Second hymn led by Elder A. B. Aycock, "Shall We Meet Beyond The River." Then introduced the speaker, Elder C. E. Williams, as he came forward and chose for his text. Rev. 14th chapter 13th verse. "And I Heard A Voice From Heaven Saving Unto Me, Right Blessed Are The Dead Which Die in the Lord." He preached a wonderful sermon, how our hearts burned as the Man of God spoke

to us by the way. Elder A. B. Aycock sang "Is There Any One Can Help Us." Elder H. D. Davis, crief, arose and made some wonderful remarks about God's waiting room. How we did enjoy the remarks as he was talking. The president arose and made a wonderful talk which was very interesting. Doxology and Benediction by Elder J. H. Frazier.

#### SATURDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

The meeting was opened by the local presidents singing "Leaning on the Everlasting Arm." Second selection led by Sister Bertha Moye. Then the president arose and announced the house in order for business. It was proposed and agreed that the Committee On Investigation make their report.

Sister President: We your committee on investigation wish to make our report. We find that all members of our local mission as well as in the convention in Gospel order, we find that our field workers have done more work this year than they did in the past. We pray that our field workers will continue to do more work by the help of the Lord in the years to come. Committee: Sister Easter Best, Sister Velnella Lewis, Sister Estella Hargrove, Sister Mary Roberson, Sister Vertie Martin, Sister Eugene Tate, Sister Adlise Jones, Sister Sudie Mae Daughtey, Elder M. L. Loftin.

It was proposed and agreed the report be received and the committee discharged.

It was proposed and agreed that the Roll of Missions be called. Amount raised from Mission was \$258.80. Then Bro. W. M. McLaurin was given space to have a few words to say as he came forward and gave some very interesting remarks telling the Missions what they should do and everybody enjoyed the words as he talked. The president a'so called on Bro. J. D. Gooding and Bro. J. C. Davis to say a few words. They both gave some very encouraging remarks. We all enjoyed the remarks from all of the Brothers. The president of the Western Convention was called and she made a very nice talk. Then the Committee on Education made their report.

Sistre President: We your Committee on Education, wish to make our report. We recommend that we do all we can toward the Christian Institue and that each local president will strengthen the importance of building a new building for our Annual Meetings and other local meetings as being necessary. It was proposed and agreed that the report be received and the Committee discharged. Committee: Sister Lula McLaurin, Sister Alice P. Faison, Sister Zefophora Williams, Sister Carrie Dickens, Sister Mary Smith, Elder A. B. Aycock.

The Committee on Resolutions made their report. See Resolution).

It was proposed and agreed that the report be received and the Committee discharged. Committee: Sister N. A. Bradshaw, Sister Lucy Blackman. Sister Patsy King. Sister Martha Ellis, Sister Lula Swinson. Sister Ida Harris, Sister Mabel White, Bro. Howard Best, Elder F. D. Ashford.

The Committee On Time And Place made their report.

Sister President: We your committee wish to submit the following report. We recomend that the next convention will convene at Holly Grove Church of Christ. Clinton, N. C., on Friday before the first Lord's Day, in October 1944. Committee: Sister Hattie Frazier, Sister Annie Grantham, Sister Nannie Jones, Sister Zeffie Sutton. Sister Henrietta Ruffin, Sister Annie B. Battle. Sister Lucy Lovick, Sister Nettie Autman, Sister Cora Brewington. Sister Mamie J. Jackson. Sister Rebecca Cox. It was proposed and agreed that the report be received and the Committee discharged.

#### COMMITTEE ON NEW MISSION

Sister President: We your Committee wish to make the following report. We find that St. Mary Bailey has organized a Sunshine Band. We a'so find that there is a new mission at Greenleaf Church of Chirst, Goldsboro, N. C. It was proposed and agreed that the report be received and the Committee Discharged. Committee: Sister Ammie Ford Sister Lizzie Anderson, Sister Mary A. Dixon, Sister Arletha Dobbs, Sister Til'ie Moore, Sister N. A. Brewington, Sister Martha McDonald, Sister Ella Howard, Sister Annie Taylor.

## **REPORT OF FIELD WORKERS IN GROUP**

Sister President: We your humble Field Workers wish to make the following report. We have not done much going over the field this year. One reason was the gas and tires, but we have been very busy at home and the missions that are near us trying to keep them going to a success, so if you see fit to keep us on the work we will do all we can another year on the field by the Lord's help. It was proposed and agreed that the report be received and missionaries remain. Missionaries: Elder W. M. King, Elder J. D. Henry, Sister Betha Moye, Sister Laura Wingate, Sister Sarah Wayne, Sister Rebecca Cox, Sister Hester Baker, Sister Florence McDaniel, Sister Lula Swinson, Sister Ada Knight, Sister Lucy Garner, Sister Maggie Sheridan, Sister Queenie Crudup, Sister Florence Bradley, Sister Dollie A. Pitt, Sister Mary Faison, Sister Annie Hillert, Sister Mamie McLaurin, Elder C. E. Williams, Elder F. D. Ashford, Elder F. D. Jackson.

## **REPORT ON BANKING COMMITTEE**

Sister President: We your Committee wish to make the following report. We have on hand at this time \$801.00. It was proposed and agreed that the report coming from the committee be received and the committee remain. Committee, Bro. John. C. Davis, Bro. J. D. Gooding, Bro. W. McLaurin.

## **REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BADGES**

Sister President: We your committee on badges wish to make our report. We have sold \$29.55 of Badges. The report was received and Committee discharged. Committee: Sister Lula Swinson, Sister Mary Faison, Sister Mary Roberson, Sister Estelle Hargrove, Sister Rebecca Cox, Sister Aletha Darden, Sister Patsy King, Sister Lucy Lovick, Sister Martha McDona'd.

## **REPORT ON PERMANENT ORGANIZATION**

The officers was elected by the house for 1944. Elder J. D. Henry, Supervisor, Sister Daisy S. Parks, president, Sister Laura Wingate, vice president: Sister Laura Lovick, secretary, Sister Estella Fryar, asst. secretary, Sister Jane Sutton, treasurer, Sister Lucy Garner and Sister Florence Bradley. Finance Solicitor, Bro. John C. Davis, Bro. W. M. McLaurin, Bro. J. D. Gooding. Banking Committee. Doxology and Benediction by Elder A. B. Aycock.

## **SATURDAY NIGHT SESSION**

Praise service was conducted by the local presidents, Sister Patsy King, Sister N. A. Bradshaw, Sister Queenie Hart, Sister Ada Knight. Sister Tillie Moore Sister Lucy Lovick, Sister At'las Jones opened by singing "My Life Is In His Hands." Prayer offered by Sister Queenie Hart. We had a glorious prayer meeting. Our heart was made to burn. Then the President arose and turned the meeting into the hands of the Elders. Elder J. D. Henry arose singing "Lord Lift Me Up and Let Me Stand." Elder A. M. Cogdell came forward and chose for his scripture lesson 8th chapter of St. John beginning at the 20th verse. These words spake Jesus in the treasury, as he taught in the temple. Prayer offered by Elder G. B. Borden. Elder A. M. Cogdell arose singing "I'll Tell It Where Ever I Go," and presented the speaker Elder N. C. Baker. He arose and had a few words of prayer and chose for his text Matthew the 28th chapter and the 19th verse. "Go ye therefore and teach al' nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost." Subject: "Get the Right Preparation and Go." He preached a soul stirring sermon. Our hearts was made to burn while he talked by the way. Elder A. M. Cogdell arose singing a hymn extending an invitation to those out of Christ and turned the meeting in the hands of the president. She arose and gave some encouraging remarks and presented the Mistress of Ceremonies, Sister Mary Smith as she came forward and rendered a splendid program. Res. Sister Arletha Dobbs. So'o Sister Carrie Dickens, Res. Sister Lula McLaurin, Solo Sister Este'l'a Hargrove, Res. Sister Roberson. Solo Sister Easter Best, Solo Sister Eva McKinley, Res. Sister Patsy King, Res. Sister Annie Taylor, So'o Sister Cor-

nelius Williams, Solo Sister Bertha Moye, Res. Sister Mamie Jackson, Res. Elder J. D. Henry. Subject "Getting Good Religion." Res. Sister Sudie Mae Daughety, Solo Sister Nellie Price. The program was enjoyed by all. Then the meeting was turned back in the hand of the president as she arose and called for the Honor Roll and raised the sum of \$114.65. Doxology and Benediction by Elder N. C. Baker.

#### SATURDAY NIGHT HONOR ROLL

Elder J. D. Henry \$1.00; Sister Daisy S. Parks \$1.00; Sister Laura Wingate \$1.00; Sister Laura Lovick \$1.00; Sister Estella Fryar \$1.00; Sister Carrie Dickens \$1.00; Sister Vicey Nicholas .50; Sister Lucy Blackman \$1.00; Sister Lizzie Moore \$1.00; Sister Jona Dex \$1.00; Sister Abertie Battle \$1.00; Elder A. M. Cogdell \$1.00. Elder N. C. Baker \$1.00; Elder C. W. McLaurin \$1.00; Sister Sarah Wayne \$1.00; Bro Claud Wayne \$1.00; Sister Jerusha Rich \$1.00; Elder F. D. McNeal \$1.00. Elder F. D. Ashford \$1.00; Sister Martha Ellis \$1.00; Elder E. F. Johnson \$1.00; Elder A. B. Aycock \$1.00; Sister Georgia Rouse .50; Sister Elder J. F. McLaurin \$1.00; Elder J. D. Jackson \$1.00; Elder W. M. King \$1.00; Sister Laura Johnson .50; Sister Caldonia Smith .50; Sister Rena Ham .50; Sister Susan Mathew .50; Bro. Jodie Ham .50; Sister Nannie Coleman .50; Bro. Alonzo Lovick \$1.00; Sister Fannie Jones .50; Sister Mary Dunk .50; Sister Climmie McCoy .50; Bro. Alonzo McCoy .50; Sister Queenie Crudup \$1.00; Sister Dollie A. Pitt .50; Elder J. W. Pitt .50; Sister Maggie Bell .50; Bro. Georgie Jackson .50; Sister Mary Jackson .50; Bro. W. M. McLaurin \$1.00; Bro. J. D. Gooding \$1.00; Sister Bertha Moye \$1.00; Elder McNeal \$1.00. Bro. Howard Best. \$1.00; Sister Eva McKinley \$1.00; Sister Charlotte Barns \$1.00; Sister Vernelia Booth \$1.00; Sister Sadie Baker \$1.00; Sister Lucy Lovick \$1.00; Sister Carrie Knoble \$1.00; Sister Jannie Jackson .50; Sister Mamie McLaurin \$1.00. Sister Annie Taylor \$1.00; Sister Ida Herring \$1.00; Sister Zelpha B. Sutton \$1.00; Sister Annie B. Battle \$1.00; Sister Lula McLaurin \$1.00; Sister Lillie Cooper .50. Sister Henretta Burney .50; Bro. John C. Davis \$1.00; Sister Hollie A. Davis .50; Sister Carlina Poke .50; Elder W. C. Simmons \$1.00; Sister Nancy Jones \$1.00; Sister Sudie May Daughety \$1.00. Sister Flora Mae Stephen .50; Sister Bertha McDowen .50. Sister Arletha Dobbs \$1.00; Sister Florence Bradley \$1.00; Sister Eliza Odom .50; Sister Annie Morgan \$1.00; Sister Sarah Williams .50; Sister Aretha Wooten .50; Sister Annie Tilman .50. Sister Valie Powell .50; Sister Victor Parker .50; Sister Mamie Louis .50; Sister Henretta Ruffin \$1.00; Bro. R. H. Battle .50; Elder H. D. Davis \$1.00; Elder C. E. Williams \$1.00; Sister Mary Faison \$1.00. Sister Queenie Hart \$1.00. Sister Nettie Artman \$1.00; Sister Hattie Frazier \$1.00; Elder J. H. Frazier \$1.00; Sister Hattie Perry \$1.00; Sister Lucy Sills .50; Sister Lillie Walls \$1.00; Elder M. L. Loftin \$1.00; Sister Annie Grantham \$1.00. Sister Tillie Moore \$1.00; Sister Vertie Martin \$1.00. Sister Alice William \$1.00; Sister Cora Brewington \$1.00; Sister Atlas Jones \$1.00; Bro. Sam Jones \$1.00; Sister Lula Swinson \$1.00; Sister Ammie Ford \$1.00; Sister Lizzie Anderson \$1.00. Sister Bessie Farmer \$1.00; Bro. A. L. Hart \$1.00; Sister Lillie Cooker .50; Sister Viney Perrv .50; Sister Ellie Adams \$1.00; Sister Essie Tucker \$1.00. Sister N. A. Bradshaw \$1.00; Sister Sarah Beamer \$1.00; Sister Patsy King \$1.00. Sister Lu'a Lane \$1.00; Sister Ommie Williamson \$1.00. Sister Maggie Sherard \$1.00; Sister Ada Knight \$1.00; Sister Rebecca Cox \$1.00. Sister Estella Hargrove \$1.00; Sister Icey Craddock \$1.00. Bro. Henry Beamer \$1.00. Sister Mabel White \$1.00; Sister Zephora Williams \$1.00. Sister Mary Smith \$1.00; Sister Addie Matthew \$1.00; Bro. Emmett Garner .50. Sister J. D. Henry \$1.00; Sister Mamie B. Jones \$1.00; Sister Factor Best \$1.00; Sister Hester Baker \$1.00. Bro. J. D. Lovick .50; Sister Jannie Lovick .50; Sister Willie M. Daniel .50; Sister Eliza Cobb .50; Sister Virginia Moore .50; Sister Annie Hillerd \$1.00; Sister Susie Exum .50. Collected \$114.65.

## SUNDAY MORNING SESSION

Praise service by the members of the convention. First selection led by Sister Mary Roberson. "When the gate swung open let me in." We had a wonderful service. Our hearts were made to burn. Donation for Bible school \$5.58. The meeting was in the hands of the president. She arose and made some interesting remarks and introduced the Elders. Elder G. B. Borden arose singing "Remember Me," and read for his scripture lesson 10th chapter of St. Luke beginning at the 25th verse. Prayer by Elder H. B. Beamon. Elder A. B. Aycock arose singing "I Will Guide Thee With My Eye." He introduced the speaker Elder J. D. Henry our supervisor. As he arose and chose for his text 10th chapter of St. Luke 31-32 verse, 'And by chance there came down a certain priest'. Subject "This Side and the Other Side." He preached a wonderful sermon which was enjoyed by all. Elder A. L. Hart arose and singing Hymn 178. "Come yea that love the Lord." He extended an invitation to those out of Christ. Then the president arose and gave some remarks and explained some of the resolutions to the members of Convention and called for the address of thanks which was given by Sister Laura Lovick and responded by Bro. W. M. McLaurin. Then the president called on Sister Bertha Myoe t osing as she came forward and sang "That Will Be The ast Move For Me." Which was enjoyed by a'l. The president called for the Finance Solicitors. They came forward and raised the sum of \$36.50. Doxology and Benediction by Elder G. B. Borden.

## SUNDAY AFTERNOON SESSION

Praise service was conducted by members of the Convention. First selection "I Am So Glad I Am Here." Prayer offered by Sister Rebecca Cox. Scripture lesson read by Sister N. A. Bradshaw. Prayer by Brother Howard Best. Second song "What More Can He Do." We had a wonderful meeting. The president arose and called for the Finance Solicitors as they came forward and raised the sum of \$8.50 for the sick. Then the president turned the meeting in the hands of the Elders and Sister Ada Knight came forward singing "Somebody Touched Me." and chose for her text 9 chapter St. Mark "Of what shall a man give in exchange for his soul." She preached a wonderful sermon. Sister Tillie Moore came forward singing "You Can't Make Me Doubt Him." Her subject was: "Drive and Go Forward." She preached a soul stirring sermon. Sister Lula Swinson arose singing, "I Am Singing In My Soul." Her text Isaiah 63rd verse. Her sermon was short and sweet. Sister N. A. Bradshaw arose singing "Inside The Beautiful." She chose her text 2 Peter 3rd verse. "The day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night." She preached a wonderful sermon. The president arose and told the amount of money was raised during the convention which was \$663.48. Paid death claim Elder I. W. Faison \$16.34. Doxology and benediction by Elder A. B. Aycock. . .

## ANNUAL REPORT OF LOCAL MISSION

1. Mission at—. 2. President; 3. Vice President; 4. Secretary: 5. Treasurer; 6. Delegate or etter; 7. New members; 8. Total membership; 9. Extension Fund; 10. Education Fund; 11. Total Raised. 12. Paid Sick: 13. Paid for Death; 14. Paid Elders; 15. Other expenses; 16. Paid Delegate; 17. Total Paid Out. 18. Sent to Convention; 19. Balance on Hand; 20. Meeting Sunday.

## DISBURSEMENT

Supervisor \$10.00; Vice President \$10.00; Assistant Secretary \$9.50: Paid for Death \$16.34; Finance Solicitors \$6.00; Donated to Sick \$15.00; Church expenses \$5.58. Bills and Badges \$12.00; President \$20.00; Secretary \$15.00; Elders for service \$30.00; Banking Committee \$18.00: Representation to Assembly \$25.00; Finance Committee \$9.00; Treasurer \$3.00.

## RESOLUTIONS

1. That every mission hold service once each month.
2. That the monthly meeting be carried out in a religious manner.
3. That no officer neglect their office duties.
4. That all missions send a report with not less than \$3.00.
5. That there be an Extension Day sermon during the year and that all monies be sent to the convention, after expenses are paid.
6. That all Elders become members of Convention by paying.
7. That this Convention shall have a treasurer, and he or she each shall give a bond as the Convention demands.
8. That there shall be a Finance Committee and that no money shall be drawn from the treasurer, during the interim of the Convention only through this committee, signed by President.
9. That it shall be left to each local mission to say what the joining fee--monthly dues and sick benefits shall be.
10. That each local President who fails to come to convention shall send her dues 75 cents and 50c missionary rally. Total \$1.25.
11. That no money be drawn from the bank without the consent of the members of said mission.
12. That there shall be a Sunshine Band or Christian Endeavor in each mission.
13. That each local member pay 35c on Extension Day, 25c Extension Fund and 10c Education Fund.
14. That each member of Convention pay 75c annually.
15. That there shall be a Missionary Rally on Saturday night of the Convention and each member dues be 50c. Sisters uniform for that night be white.
16. That there shall be four special sermons preached during the convention, namely: Introductory, Annual, Missionary and Education sermon.
17. That all members wear badges during the session and that they be furnished by the convention at a small cost.
18. That the convention pay \$30.00 on the burial expenses of State members who is nancial, and that if any member fail to pay dues annually, he or she is not entitled to death benefits and that all members shall come in full benefit after 3 years.
19. That all monies raised except expenses of the convention shall be deposited in a bank for superannuated members of the convention.
20. That the Elogistic service shall be held on Saturday 11:00 A. M. and their funeral preached at the convention.
21. That all public collections go to the members of the convention.
22. That this Convention meet on Friday morning before the 1st Sunday in October.
23. That all local missions shall be subject to convention.
24. That each local mission shall send one member to the Leadership Training School.
25. That the Elders to preach the Education, Missionary and Eulogistic sermon be contacted by president and secretary before the programs are printed and their names appear on program.

## CONSTITUTION

Article 1. That this convention shall be known as the Christian Woman's Missionary Workers of the Disciples of Christ of the Goldsboro-Raleigh District.

Article 2. That the officers of the convention be a President, Vice President, Recording Secretary, Financial Secretary and Treasurer.

Article 3. That this convention be held once a year just preceding the Annual Assembly.

Article 4. That this convention may be amended or repealed by a two-third vote at any regular session.

Resolved—That we use literature of the Disciples Publishing Company.

STATISTICAL TABLE

## Mission — Post Office — Delegate

	Tl. Mem.	New Mem.	Extension Fund	Edu. Fund	Total Raised	Paid Sick	Paid Elders	Paid Delegates	Paid for Deaths	Other Expenses	Total Paid Out	Sent To Convention	Balance On Hand	Meeting Sunday
Morning Star, Rocky Mount, by Letter .....	15	1	5.00	3.50	15.00	12.00	.....	.....	3.00	15.00	7.50	.....	1st.	
Hickory Grove, Kinston, N. C. Mrs. S. Wayne .....	73	3	19.00	6.00	65.00	9.85	6.50	4.00	.....	14.75	18.75	25.00	75.00	2nd.
St. Mark, Goldsboro, N. C. Mrs. L. Herring .....	45	10	15.00	4.00	50.00	25.00	3.00	13.50	.....	38.50	22.00	22.00	25.00	2nd.
King Chapel, Kinston, N. C. Mrs. R. Cox .....	32	20	10.00	2.50	25.45	4.00	5.00	.....	5.00	.....	19.00	10.00	18.95	4th.
St. Rose, Wilson, N. C. Mrs. B. Farmer .....	20	1	3.00	1.00	40.00	20.00	1.80	3.00	.....	38.00	19.00	19.00	19.00	
St. James, Fountain, N. C., Mrs. M. Dixon .....	35	4	7.00	2.70	33.40	24.00	2.00	7.00	.....	2.35	35.75	6.00	8.00	1st.
St. Peter, Smithfield, N. C., by Letter .....	16	3	3.00	3.00	.....	3.70	.....	.....	1.00	6.00	6.00	.....	1st.	
Elm Grove, Pikeville, N. C., Mrs. Amy Fort .....	9	2	8.90	1.00	42.72	9.00	3.10	8.00	5.00	.....	26.50	15.00	28.62	3rd.
Zion Spring, Bunn, N. C., Mrs. Carrie Dixon .....	32	2	5.00	5.00	35.85	6.50	4.00	.....	5.00	.....	24.00	10.00	10.00	4th.
St. Luke, Mt. Olive, N. C., Mrs. Jennie Wilson .....	25	2	.....	.....	7.00	.....	5.00	3.00	.....	3.00	7.50	7.50	7.50	
St. John, Dover, N. C., by Letter .....	35	17	.....	1.00	13.00	3.00	6.00	4.50	.....	10.50	5.00	5.00	2.50	3rd.
Alum Spring, Dover, N. C., by Lester .....	15	1	1.00	1.00	20.00	3.00	.....	.....	3.00	5.00	15.00	15.00	2nd.	
Vine Swamp, Kinston, N. C., Mrs. Mable White .....	24	9	7.70	4.00	11.70	7.30	.....	6.00	10.00	.....	17.00	15.00	25.00	2nd.
Pleas. Grove, Fayetteville, N. C., Mrs. McDonald .....	26	6	12.20	.....	42.00	8.00	5.00	.....	.....	13.00	23.30	23.30	23.30	2nd.
Mt. Mary, Bailey, N. C. Mrs. Quennie Hart .....	44	8	1.50	1.00	11.00	1.00	5.00	4.00	.....	19.00	12.17	17.51	11.00	1st.
Moses Chapel, Faision, N. C., Mrs. D. Wolf .....	15	2	4.50	.....	35.00	1.50	5.00	1.50	.....	5.00	26.00	5.00	5.00	
St. Paul, Clinton, N. C. Mrs. Addie Mahtis .....	10	2	7.50	2.50	10.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	.....	9.50	12.00	20.00	20.00	2nd.
Union Grove, Clinton, N. C., Mrs. Brewington .....	16	3	.....	.....	.....	2.50	.....	.....	8.00	5.00	11.35	11.35	2nd.	
Quaker House, Richlands, N. C., by Letter .....	42	2	5.00	2.00	20.00	3.00	.....	.....	8.00	7.00	13.00	13.00	1st.	
Pleasant Union, Golds., N. C. Mrs. F. McKinley .....	25	4	4.57	1.00	5.51	.....	9.00	2.00	.....	3.00	4.00	13.00	0.00	1st.
Holly Grove, Clinton, N. C., Mrs. M. Smith .....	26	3	5.00	1.00	15.00	14.00	3.00	.....	31.00	6.00	14.50	14.50	3rd.	
St. Paul, Black Creek, N. C. Miss Zelphia Sutton .....	28	4	1.00	1.00	2.00	1.85	2.00	.....	3.85	3.00	7.50	7.50	3rd.	
St. Stevens, Princeton, N. C., by Letter .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Little Creek, Ayden, N. C., by Letter .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
St. Mark, Stauntonburg, N. C., by Letter .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
St. Stevens, Trenton, N. C., by Letter .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Rose Hill Mission, Rosehill, N. C., Mrs. Barnes .....	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Sunshine Band, Hickory Grove, Kinston, N. C., by Letter .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Sunshine Band, St. Mark, Goldsboro, N. C., by Letter .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Sunshine Band, Pleasant Grove, Fayetteville, N. C., by Letter .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Sunshine Band, St. Mary, Bailey, N. C., by Letter .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Sunshine Band, Moses Chapel, Faision, N. C., by Letter .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	



